PATENT

Attorney Docket No.: <u>46124-5397</u>

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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	1.		eplies to the Notification of Miss November 8, 2005.	ing Requ	nirements (Form PCT/DO/EO/905)
	enclose		of the Notification of Missing F	Requirem	nents (Form PTC/DO/EO/905) is
	2.	Declara	ation Or Oath		
			No declaration or oath was file and Power of Attorney.	d. Enclo	osed is the original Combined Declaration
			-		ation is a copy of the specification and ed in the PTO to obtain the filing date.
			The declaration or oath which original Combined Declaration		I was determined to be defective. A new wer of Attorney is attached.
	3.	English	n Translation of Non-English Lan	nguage P	apers
				filed. I	h translation of the non-English language t is requested that this translation be used the PTO.
			Also enclosed is the Verification	on of Tra	inslation Document
	4.	Small E	Entity Statement(s) Applicant(s) hereby as	sert sma	ll entity status.

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5. Fee Calculation

			Basic National Stage I	Pee:
			\$300	0.00 Previously Paid
	Number Filed	Number Extra	at a Rate of	
Total Claims	12-20 =	0	\$50.00 each=	Previously Paid
Independent Claims	2-3=	0	\$200.00 each=	Previously Paid
Multiple dependent clair	m(s), if any		\$360.00	N/A
Missing Requirements Surcharge Fee			\$130.00	Previously Paid
Application Size Fee				
\$250.00 for each additional 50 sheets that exceeds 100				N/A
Application Search Fee			\$500.00	Previously Paid
Examination Fee			\$200.00	Previously Paid
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Fee For Application Filed With A Non-English Specification			\$130.00	
(37 C.F.R. § 1.17(k) and § 1.52(d)				N/A
Fee For Processing and retention of application (37 C.F.R.			\$130.00	N/A
§ 1.21(1) and § 1.53(d)				
			TOTAL FILING FE	E = 0.00

6. Extension of Time

The proceedings herein are for a patent application and the provisions of 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a) apply.

Applicants petition for an extension of time, the fees for which are set out in 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.17(a)-(d), for the total number of months checked below:

Total Months Requested	Extension Fee	Extension Fee [Small Entity]
One month	\$120.00	\$60.00
Two months	\$450.00	\$225.00
Three months	\$1,020.00	\$510.00
Four months	\$1,590.00	\$795.00
Five months	\$2,160.00	\$1,080.00

Extension of time fee due with this request: \$0.00

If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a Petition therefor.

Applicant believes that no extension of time is required. However, this conditional petition is being made to provide for the possibility that applicant has inadvertently overlooked the need for a petition and fee for extension of time.

7. Fee Payment

The total fee due is: Completion Fees \$\frac{90.00}{40.00}\$
Assignment Fees \$\frac{40.00}{40.00}\$

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	\bowtie	A check in the amount of \$40.00 to cover the above fees is enclosed
		The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the total fee due to Deposit Account 50-0573.
		Except for issue fees payable under 37 C.F.R. §1.18, the Commissioner is hereby authorized by this paper to charge any additional fees during the entire pendency of this application including fees due under 37 C.F.R §1.16 and §1.17 which may be required, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-0573.
8.	Addition	Form PCT/IPEA/409 (English Translation) Preliminary Amendment PCT/IB/338 English translation of the International preliminary Examination Report PCT/ISA/210 (International Search Report dated Information Disclosure Statement Form PTO-1449, non-US patent documents as listed Assignment Recordation Cover Sheet (PTO Form-1595) Assignment of the invention to

Respectfully submitted,

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NOTIFICATION OF MISSING REQUIREMENTS UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371 IN THE UNITED STATES DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US)

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The following items have been submitted by the applicant or the IB to the United States Patent and Trademark Office as a Designated / Elected Office (37 CFR 1.495).

- Copy of the International Application filed on 07/19/2005
- Copy of the International Search Report filed on 07/19/2005
- Preliminary Amendments filed on 07/19/2005
- Information Disclosure Statements filed on 07/19/2005
- U.S. Basic National Fees filed on 07/19/2005
- Priority Documents filed on 07/19/2005

Docketed Due Date UOFOR Action

The following items MUST be furnished within the period set forth below in order to complete the requirements for acceptance under 35 U.S.C. 371:

• Oath or declaration of the inventors, in compliance with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b), identifying the application by the International application number and international filing date.

ALL OF THE ITEMS SET FORTH ABOVE MUST BE SUBMITTED WITHIN TWO (2) MONTHS FROM THE DATE OF THIS NOTICE OR BY 32 MONTHS FROM THE PRIORITY DATE FOR THE APPLICATION. WHICHEVER IS LATER. FAILURE TO PROPERLY RESPOND WILL RESULT IN ABANDONMENT.

The time period set above may be extended by filing a petition and fee for extension of time under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

Applicant is reminded that any communications to the United States Patent and Trademark Office must be mailed to the address given in the heading and include the U.S. application no. shown above (37 CFR 1.5)

A copy of this notice MUST be returned with the response.

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